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From: [Dautch, Leif \(USACAN\)](#)
To: [John T. Philipsborn 415 \[REDACTED\] 1, \[REDACTED\] San Francisco, CA 94102](#)
Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] Re: Juan Soto
Date: Tuesday, November 12, 2024 1:44:00 PM

John,

I'm available until 3:30pm PST if you're able to call my cell before then: 415-[REDACTED].

These are the 5 categories of documents I think the trial group is particularly interested in:

Soto [REDACTED]

306: [REDACTED]
315: [REDACTED]
319: [REDACTED]
326: [REDACTED]
340: [REDACTED]

Soto's [REDACTED]

408: [REDACTED]
456: [REDACTED]
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510: [REDACTED]

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754: [REDACTED]
791: [REDACTED]
909: [REDACTED]
918: [REDACTED]

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1228: [REDACTED]
1278: [REDACTED]
1319: [REDACTED]
1333: [REDACTED]

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1657: [REDACTED]
1659: [REDACTED]

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From: John T. Philipsborn 415-[REDACTED], San Francisco, CA 94102
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Sent: Tuesday, November 12, 2024 12:37 PM
To: Dautch, Leif (USACAN) [REDACTED] >
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Re: Juan Soto

Leif,

I'm in New York on a case. I can call you at some point this afternoon when we have a recess. I won't have a lot of time. The short of it is that I am concerned about the releasing of information concerning Juan Soto-- including sealed exhibits, a number of which did not come from the government's investigation.

I'll try to watch for your response

John

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On Tuesday, November 12, 2024 at 10:16:08 AM PST, Dautch, Leif (USACAN) <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Hi John,

The Cervantes trial group has requested an Attorneys-Eyes-Only production of various sealed filings from Juan Soto's case, including the motions to dismiss. I'm hoping to discuss that with you in advance of a status hearing with YGR this week.

Give me a call at either number below when you have a chance.

Thanks,

Leif

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